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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks PO Box 1450 Allexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir;

In regard to the above-mentioned US Application herewith submitted, kindly amend the application as follows: